



# **NPRST Research Agenda Supports Navy Personnel Leadership**

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# Evolution of NPRST Research Agenda

NPRST

- **Sailor 21 (Dec98)**

Our vision for Navy personnel system and the research to attain it

Basis for our ONR (FNC) research program

- **Substantially influenced the Navy leadership**

**Navy Human Resources Board of Directors Adopted**  
(Oct99, Sep00)

**Blended into ForceNet by Strategic Studies Group XX**  
(Jul01)

**Manifest as Project SAIL** (Mar02; linking RIDE, web-based marketplace [WBS], distribution incentives/auctions, career management)

**Embodied in the CNO's "Sea Warrior" concept** (Jul02; Whole Person Assessment, Project SAIL, WBM, Enterprise Management System)

- **Consonant with CNP's 2003 Guidance (21Jan03)**

# Selection & Classification, Attrition Reduction

**NPRST**

## **NPRST Program**

- Improve Sailor job match
  - Reduce unwanted attrition
  - Improve retention
  - Increase job satisfaction
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- RIDE (ONR)
  - JOIN (ONR)
  - Non-cognitive measures (ONR)
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Watch (ONR)
  - ASVAB standards (N13)
  - Enlisted Cohort Tracking (N13)
  - Recruiter Selection (CNRC)

## **CNP Guidance**

- Sea Warrior
- NRAMS
- Readiness
- Accessions
- Retention and attrition goals
- Force shaping
- Perform-To-Serve
- Quality of service
- Career management
- Sailor-centric systems
- Positive Navy experience

# Sailor Career Management System

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## **NPRST Program**

- **Improve Sailor job match**
  - **Reduce unwanted attrition**
  - **Increase Command input**
  - **Improve retention**
  - **Enlisted Career Planning**
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- **Web-based Marketplace (ONR)**
  - **Cognitive Agents (ONR)**
    - **Sailor preferences**
    - **Command needs**
  - **Distribution Incentives (N1)**
  - **Multi-attribute auctions (ONR)**

## **CNP Guidance**

- **Sea Warrior**
- **Readiness, Reduce Gaps at Sea**
- **Retention and attrition goals**
- **Perform-To-Serve**
- **Quality of service**
- **Career management**
- **Sailor-centric systems**
- **Control PCS costs**
- **Consistent with PeopleSoft8, Defense Integrated Military Human Resources System (DIHMRS)**

# Enterprise Management System

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## **NPRST Program**

- **Improve situational awareness of manpower and personnel**
- **Extended forecast horizon**
- **Model integration and simulation**
- **Enterprise-wide policy analysis**

- **CHROME (N13)**
- **MODCOMP (N13)**
- **EMPIPS/SKIPPER III (ONR)**
- **Officer Career Path Model (ONR)**
- **P-SMART (ONR)**
- **IMPRINT (ONR/congressional)**

## **CNP Guidance**

- **Sea Warrior**
- **NRAMS/NSIPS**
- **Readiness**
- **Accessions**
- **Retention and attrition goals**
- **Force shaping**
- **Career management**
- **Selective Re-enlistment Bonus**
- **Integrate personnel requirements into acquisitions**

# Organizational Assessment

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## **NPRST Program**

- **Provide surveys and program assessments to inform Navy leadership on policy decisions.**

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- **Officer Career Progression Survey**
- **Navy Personnel Survey System, paper and Web-based versions (N1)**
  - **Navy-wide Personnel Survey**
  - **Navy Quality of Life Survey**
  - **Spouse Quality of Life Survey**
- **Team Detailing Assessment (PERS4)**
- **CNP Navy Quick Poll (NPC)**
- **Evaluation of SAVI (PERS6)**
- **Argus (CCD)**

## **CNP Guidance**

- **Diversity**
- **Quality of service**
- **Sea Warrior**
- **Sailor-centric systems**
- **Technology**
- **Family support**
- **Improve retention**
- **Positive Navy experience**